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Dario BARBERIS, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/611,230

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Confirmation No.: 4825

Examiner: M Burch

Filed: July 6, 2000

For: A CONTROL AND COMMUNICATION SYSTEM FOR RAILWAY TRAINS

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action of October 22, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Claims 1-11 were previously canceled.

**Please enter the following amended claims:**

DI 12. (Currently Amended) A communication and control system in combination with a railway train which comprises at least one main engine and a plurality of carriages or wagons, the communication and control system comprising first and second bi-directional transmission lines which extend parallel to and spaced from one another along the train;